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In re Application of:

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For: **FILM-FORMING COSMETIC
COMPOSITION**

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Sir:

NOTICE OF ERROR IN THE DETERMINATION OF PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT

As required by 65 FED. REG. 56387 (September 18, 2000), Applicants notify the Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) of an error in the patent term adjustment. Applicants confirm receipt of the Notice of Determination of Patent Term Adjustment dated June 25, 2009.

The Notice indicates that the PTO has determined that the patent term adjustment period for this application is 747 days. Applicants respectfully request that the PTO identify how it arrived at this adjustment period. Based on Applicants' calculation, the correct patent term adjustment period is 627 days, provided that the patent issues in a timely manner without any delay on the part of the PTO.

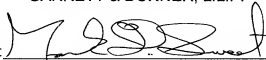
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